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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition that the period for replying to the final Office action that was mailed in connection with the above-captioned application on May 26, 2005, be extended for three months, to and including November 28, 2005, as November 26, 2005, was a Saturday.

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